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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)
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Plaintiff,)
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v.) 2:10-CR-365-JCM (PAL)
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JONATHAN FRANCIS,)
)
Defendant.)

PRELIMINARY ORDER OF FORFEITURE

This Court finds that on August 25, 2011, defendant JONATHAN FRANCIS pled guilty to Count One of a Two-Count Criminal Indictment charging him in Count One with Conspiracy to Possess a Controlled Substance with the Intent to Distribute - Cocaine, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Sections 841(a)(1) and 846. Docket #16.

This Court finds defendant JONATHAN FRANCIS agreed to the forfeiture of the property set forth in Forfeiture Allegations of the Criminal Indictment and in the Plea Memorandum. Docket #16.

This Court finds, pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(1) and (2), the United States of America has shown the requisite nexus between property set forth in the Forfeiture Allegations of the Criminal Indictment and in the Plea Memorandum and the offenses to which defendant JONATHAN FRANCIS pled guilty.

The following assets are subject to forfeiture pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Sections 853(a)(1) and 853(a)(2); Title 21, United States Code, Section 881(a)(11) and Title 28, ...

1 United States Code, Section 2461(c); Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1), (2)(C), and
2 (3)(B) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c):

- 3 a) \$171,600 in United States currency;
- 4 b) a 2008 Black Chevy Suburban bearing Nevada license plate: YODADY, VIN:
5 1GNFC16008R143172;
- 6 c) a Glock model 23, .40 caliber semi-automatic handgun bearing serial number
7 KFF109;
- 8 d) a Sig Sauer model P229, .40 caliber semi-automatic handgun bearing serial number
9 AG23046; and
- 10 e) any and all ammunition ("property").

11 This Court finds the United States of America is now entitled to, and should, reduce the
12 aforementioned property to the possession of the United States of America.

13 NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the
14 United States of America should seize the aforementioned property.

15 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED all right, title, and interest of
16 JONATHAN FRANCIS in the aforementioned property is forfeited and is vested in the United States
17 of America and shall be safely held by the United States of America until further order of the Court.

18 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the United States of America
19 shall publish for at least thirty (30) consecutive days on the official internet government forfeiture
20 website, www.forfeiture.gov, notice of this Order, which shall describe the forfeited property, state
21 the time under the applicable statute when a petition contesting the forfeiture must be filed, and state
22 the name and contact information for the government attorney to be served with the petition,
23 pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(6) and Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(n)(2).

24 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a petition, if any, must be
25 filed with the Clerk of the Court, 333 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

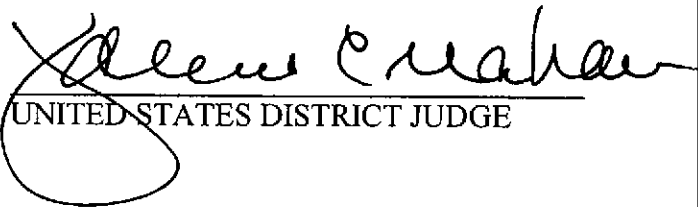
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1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a copy of the petition, if any,
2 shall be served upon the Asset Forfeiture Attorney of the United States Attorney's Office at the
3 following address at the time of filing:

4 Michael A. Humphreys
5 Assistant United States Attorney
6 Daniel D. Hollingsworth
7 Assistant United States Attorney
8 Nevada State Bar No. 1925
9 Lloyd D. George United States Courthouse
10 333 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Suite 5000
11 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101

12 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the notice described herein
13 need not be published in the event a Declaration of Forfeiture is issued by the appropriate agency
14 following publication of notice of seizure and intent to administratively forfeit the above-described
15 property.

16 DATED this 25th day of Aug., 2011.

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18 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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